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May 31, 2005 LB 538, 598A, 703

to E & R Initial? All in favor vote aye; opposed vote nay. The question before the body is LB 589A, and whether or not it should advance to E & R Initial. Have you all voted who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 589A.

SENATOR CUDABACK: LB 589A does advance. We now go to Select File 2005 priority bills, 30-minute division, following rules apply to a 30-minute division. Mr. Clerk, LB 538.

CLERK: LB 538, Senator Flood, I have Enrollment and Review amendments. (AM7106, Legislative Journal page 1754.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Flood, for a motion.

SENATOR FLOOD: Mr. President, I move the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 538.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You're heard the motion to adopt the E & R amendments to LB 538. All in favor of the motion say aye; opposed to the motion, nay. They are adopted.

CLERK: Senator Brashear would move to amend with AM1711. (Legislative Journal pages 1820-1821.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Brashear, to open on AM1711 to LB 538.

SPEAKER BRASHEAR: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. This amendment makes two changes to LB 538, which is the bill as proposed by the Community Corrections Council, which you advanced from General File. First, the bill added coverage for probation officers to the crime of "assault on an officer." There are several places in the statutes where this language is required, and one of those references was missed, so we are correcting that. The amendment also adopts clean-up language that will harmonize all the sections so as to include probation officers. In addition, the amendment adopts the provisions of LB 703, which was offered by Senator McDonald, as amended by the